Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 09 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 10 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 09 Sep 2020 at 02:12 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high over the coming days until Saturday, with uncertainty on track of rainfall.

Headline for Wednesday 09 Sep 2020: Mix of sunshine and showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 09 Sep 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
20%	40%	60%	40%	20%	10%

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Weather: There will be a good deal of dry weather with sunny spells through the day, however there will be a scattering of blustery light showers, most frequent through the morning and early afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Generally high, potential for temporary reductions in showers.

Visibility: Generally good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	36/44 W	33/42 W	36/46 W	32/42 W	26/33 W	18/24 W	17/23 W
900	35/42 W	31/41 W	35/45 W	31/41 W	24/32 W	17/23 W	17/23 W
600	25/32 W	23/32 W	27/37 W	23/33 W	17/24 W	10/17 W	11/17 W
300	7/32 W	8/32 W	11/37 W	11/34 W	7/26 W	4/19 W	4/17 W
Glen	12/24 W	15/28 W	19/35 W	17/31 W	10/21 NW	6/14 W	3/7 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	3/-2	3/-2
900	5/-1	5/-1	5/-2	5/-2	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1
600	7/3	8/3	8/2	7/3	7/3	7/4	6/3
300	10/8	10/9	11/9	11/8	10/8	8/8	8/7
Glen	12/10	13/10	13/10	13/10	12/10	11/10	11/10
Freezing Level*	1600m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling cold near summits in strong winds.

Forecast for Thursday 10 Sep 2020
Weather: Lighter winds through Thursday morning with sunny spells. Winds increasing into the afternoon with frequent blustery showers over the area continuing into the evening.

Maximum wind: Westerly 30-35 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: High for much of the day but potentially reducing later in the afternoon in frequent or heavy showers.

Visibility: Generally good outside of heavy showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 rising to plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 4 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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